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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100		
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65		
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80		
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300		
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petitions for a 1-month extension of time to file the response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2007. With this extension, a response is due on or before May 8, 2007.

Accordingly, enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00.

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee required, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0683, in the name of Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps LLP.

Respectfully submitted,

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